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RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)

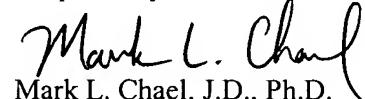
Honorable Commissioner:

On December 3, 2002, the Office of Petitions at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office mailed a decision on the petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) filed November 15, 2002; that petition being dismissed. It was alleged that the petition lacked the required reply in light of the fact that substitute drawings were not submitted with the petition.

This renewed petition includes substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84. The original petition included a copy of the declaration/power of attorney from the parent application as well as the surcharge as required by the Notice to File Missing Parts in a Non-Provisional Application, which was mailed January 10, 2002, the petition fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m), and the necessary statement.

Since all of the requirements of a grantable petition have been submitted, the applicant's representative respectfully requests reconsideration of the petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b).

Respectfully submitted,

  
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